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E.O. 11652: XGDS-1
TAGS: ESTC, COCOM
SUBJECT: EXPORT OF URANIUM HEXAFLUORIDE (UF 6) TO THE
USSR - AEL 1

REF: COCOM DOC (78) 718

1. URGENCY REQUEST: 150 TEU (APPROX) NATURAL AS UF6
WORTH ABOUT \$16.2 MILLION TO KRAFTWERK UNION AG,
ERLANGER FRG. IT WILL BE MANUFACTURED FROM ORE OF
SOUTH AFRICAN ORIGIN THEN SENT TO RIGA USSR FOR TOLL
ENRICHMENT. THE RESULTING ENRICHED UF6 WILL BE USED
BY KRAFTWERK UNION TO MANUFACTURE NUCLEAR FUEL FOR
THE ATOMIC ENERGY ORGANIZATION OF IRAN. THE TAILS
WILL BE RETURNED TO IRAN, WEST GERMANY, OR THE U.K.

2. USDEL RECOMMENDS APPROVAL BECAUSE OF THE NON-U.S.
ORIGIN OF THE UF6 AND BECAUSE THE TAILS WILL BE
RETURNED TO IRAN, WEST GERMANY OR THE U.K.

3. THE URGENCY PROCEDURE IS INVOKED SINCE SHIPMENT
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MUST BE EFFECTED BY THE END OF AUGUST.

4. ACTION REQUESTED: U.S. REPLY BY AUGUST 30.
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